All Lew's Friends Have Deserted Him, He Has the Mumps.

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Gentleman Jim Says It Pavs To Have A "Rep" Nowadays

By James J. Corbett Ex-Werld's Champion.

He Tells About the Big Prizes Fighters Are Bringing Now, and How Things Have Changed as Time Goes On.

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Matt Wells, British Hightweight champion, had not set foot on American soll many hours before he was besieged by New York mutch punkers with liberal offers to box before their clubs. Matt announced that he wanted Wolgats and DicFarland in preference to all others, although he would not object to first having a try-out with one of the lesser lights if financial inducements compatible with his dignity and tifle of lightweight champion of Great British were made him. For, take it from me. Matt is wise to the fact that he is some drawing card in little old New York. He convinced eastern sports hast fall he's a genuine champion and not the lucky fellow Freddy Welca's friends would have us believe. The National Sporting club was first in the field with an offer of \$10,000 for Wells and Packey McParland. The Fairmont club quickly get the match as the Chicagoan is under contract to that he was to the fact that he is some drawing card in little old New York. He convinced eastern sports hast fall he's a genuine champion sind not the lucky fellow Freddy Welca's friends would have us believe. The National Sporting club was first in the field with an offer of \$10,000 for Wells and Packey McParland. The Fairmont club quickly ruised this to \$15,000 and will likely get the match as the Chicagoan is under contract to that he will even the converse of the time and with a few more pounds of bone and muscle added to his stock of science and skill would cut considerable figure among the middleweight.

Bob Moins gave New York's popular (?) Hight heavyweight. Sailor

marvelously clever youth was at his heat, but in his engagements sround New York he has shown "he's there with the goods." Matt convinced us he knows the game thoroughly and is equally at home with the clever man or the rugged type of walloper. Opposed to the skilful Abe Attell he surprised sports with his display of hoxing and with Knock-Out Brown, the Battling Neison style of milier, he had little trouble in winning on points.

Joe Woodman, who looks after Sam Langford's interests cables he will start for home immediately following the "tar baby's" contest with Sam Mo-Vey in Sydney Easter Monday, and that he will bring liughey Mehegan, the champion lightweight of Australia, back with him. With Wolgast, Wells and Mehegan 'in our midst," to say nothing of the half score of "hear-champ" possibilities already on the ground, the lightweight division will be productive of much high-class sport during the spring and summer months.

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Speaking of golden opportunities, the directors of Cari Morris's affairs must now regret having refused that recont offer of a \$12,000 purse to box At Palzer 10 rounds. The ex-engineer's miserable showing with Jim Stewart, the Brooklyn heavyweight, has killed his drawing powers, for the time being at least. The sporting public is remarkably patient wherein white heavyweights are concerned, owing to the prevailing desire to develop some one to knock the daylights out of Jack Johnson, but there is a limit and Morris has apparently reached it in Gotham.

Carl is a fine big fellow and has worked hard to advance in his chosen line, but it looks very much as if he would never make good. Certainly he has had many opportunities to prove he had the "makins" of a champion and has failen short of the mark by a great

deal think that Morris has been very I think that Morris has been very badly trained. He has been given an overgose of it if a man ever got it. Too much of that sort of thing is a great deal worse than too little, and especially when its application is missing methods has irrevocably injured many a promising boxer's chances and while I found very much that Morris is of the right temperament to make a champion, I am of the opinion that the

New York City, N. Y. March 50—Surely these are the goiden days of opportunity for professional boxers. What with \$100,000 prizes for heavyweight championship battles, our lightweight title holder spurning offers guaranteeing \$12,500 for his share of the purse, wh, lose or draw, \$15,600 offers for 10-round exhibitions between other stars of the same division, and profitable thesirical engagements galore for the 'white hopes,' verily it pays to have a 'rep' of the sort that commands plenty of space in the sporting columns.

I want to avoid pulling that old-time 'I can't remember' stuff, but just the same when ones hearkens back a few years and recalls the ricidulous-ly small sums former stars of the ring battled for, one may be excused if he rints to remark that it is preity soft for the modern lads in comparison.

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under contract to that club and naturally would throw his influence in its direction. The proposition is to scale 155 pounds at 3 o'clock, which would suit both boys down to the ground. It would favor the Englishman a bit as he is of sturdler build; McFarland takes on little weight twixt afternoon and fighting time.

Packey and Matt were matched last fall. Something happened to knock the proposition in the head at the time and shortly afterwards Wells left for home, where he was taken ill and confined to the heapfulf for nearly two months. He informs me he is completely recovered and that a few weeks' training will round him into his best form.

Wells is one of the best men England has ever sent us. He may not be quite up to the caliber of the Freddy Welch of several years ago, when that heat, but in his engagements around New York he has shown "he's there with the goods" Matt convinced us he knows the game thoroughly and is he knows the game the ground at the game he is completely recovered and that a few weeks' training the first the crowd roots for him to lose. Bob Burke's position in sporting the extent and incling hat a converse the time the crowd roots for him to lose. Bob Burke's position in sporting the recovery film he starts the crowd roots for him to lose. Bo

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Will Preliminary Training Best Develop a Successful Manager



New managers in the National league, whose work will be closely watched by the funs this year: Hank O'Day, leader of the Cincinnati Reds, is shown at the right. He is the first umpire in the history of the game to become a big league manager. The other two photographs are of Johnny Kling, generally accredited the greatest "inside" catcher in the game, who Is getting his first managerial chance in the leadership of the Boston Na-

HORSE RACING GREAT SPORT OVER THE POND

Racing on the flat is confined to that leading on the flat is confined to that leption of 175 pounds, and winning by 12 period between the third week in March and the last week in November, the interregnum being filled in with races across country and over hurdles. Today in England will be run the blue ribbon of the cross country and over trunt the blue ribbon of the cross country and it is on uncommon thing for a first washington continue the race without gaidance of the baseball affairs as any man in the last week in November of run the blue ribbon of the cross country. He fence without gaidance of the last washington continue the race without gaidance of the course of the cour

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few believed that he had any chance for reinstatement. Yet that is what occurred and Jeems played great ball all last year in the outfield. Hugh Duffy's managing of the team did not suit owner Comiskey, and Callahan announced himself as a candidate for the Job, slong with third baseman Harry Lord. Callahan was awarded the position and he now has his second chance to make good as a big league manager.

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Garland, His Name Is.

Jake Stahi, who will guard the destintes of the Boston Americans during the 1812 pennant fight, had his manager and experience at Washington, in 1905 and 1906. Stahi, whose real first name is Garland, succeeded Tom Loftus in the leadership of the Senators. Loftus had been a disappointment during the three preceding years, and it was hoped that Stahi would prove the Moses who would lead the capital city team gut of the second division widderness. Stahi tried valiantly and met with some measure of success, but he was unable to satisfy the management and Joe Cantillon superseded him. The failure of Cantillon and McAleer, who followed him, are now history. It seems that Washington has been decomed to cellar or near-cellar honours from the beginning of time, and Stahi did no worse than his predecessors, so it is not fair to figure on the basis of his experience there that he will fail to make good in Boston. Stahi has always been a good first basemun, and although he is now randely nearing the "hasbeen" age, he is believed to have good haseball still left in him.

Harry Basis will take charge of the Cleveland Americans fresh from his lessons under Counte Mack, than whom

the national pocket billiard championland, or there will be a great clamor
for the return of Stovall, who was disposed of to the St. Louis Browns.

Harry Wolverton has his work cut
out for him with the New York
Yankess. He has an aggregation of
stellar ball tossers, but so did Griffith.

Elberfeld, Stallings and Chase in previous years, and never has New York
had an American league pennant.
Wolverton knows the game from the
inside out and last year received valuable experience as a minor league manager in the far west. In his days as a
player he was a star of the first water.
In 1982, when, with the Philadelphis
Nationals, he led all third basemen
with a percentage of 341. His players
have a wholesome respect for him as
well as a great personal liking, and he
may succeed where others falled.

Johnny Kilms cardies with him the
leading to turniment games yesterday. Maturo won from Thomas J. Wilson, of
Hackensack, N. J., 150 to 121, and Ralph
defeated Charles Weston, of Chicago.

Maturo now leads the tournament,
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Star Imside Player.

Johnny Kling carries with him the reputation of being the greatest "inside" player of any catcher that has been in the game in recent years. His work with the Chicago Cubs during the years he was there held an important part in the winning of pennants by Frank Chances team. Many consider him the greatest catcher that ever lived. His release to Boston last year, after just having been reinstated to good standing, following his bolding out of several years came as a surprise out of several years, came as a surprise of everyone. Kling soon demonstrated in Boston that he is almost if not quite the same marvelous artist as of yere. the same marvelous artist as of yere, and his great work toward the closs of the season has been recognized in his promotion to the managership, succeeding Fred Tenney. Kling has a few stars and many poor players in the roster of his club. In event that he can mold a winning combination and give Boston a respectable position in the National league race this year, all the credit must be given to Kling.

Hank O'Day, one of the most quaint: Other Sport News On Pages 6 and 8 This Section

characters that ever paraded on a diamond, is the first umpire in the history of the game to become a manager, and his work with the Cincinnati Nationals will accordingly be watched by fans throughout the country with keenest of interest. O'Day as an umpire belongs to the old inflexible school. When he made a decision, that decision was made, and he would neither change.

The second double header of the elimination in the City baseball league will be played Sunday afternoon, when the White Sox will meet the Federals, as the first game, and the Globe Mills and the Internationals as the second. The first game will be called promptly at 2 octock and will go seven imnings. No admission will be charged to the Washington park grounds. The season proper will open April 14.

MATURO LEADS POOL

trains mantel and sark herrick quit training vesterday and announced themselves in the best possible condition for their 70 round Dour loday at McCarey's Vermon arena. Both men must weigh in at 138 pounds.

This will be the second of the milecleweight elimination contests being conducted by McCarey. Betting is at a standard with even money of the second of the milecleweight elimination contests being conducted by McCarey. standstill with even money offered.

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Catcher-Johnny Kling, Boston Nahave had hig league managerial experience. In his best year as a pitcher, when he had a winning percentage of 774, Griffith piloted the Chicago White Sox into the American league championship of 1901. He was at the helm of the White Sox also the following year and in 1903 took charge of the New York Yankees, remaining in the managerial berth until 1903, when he went to Cincinnati to lead the Reds of he National league. During his tenure to office at Cincinnati he was unable to take the team in any year more than contender, but he has been said to ave been beset by hard luck throughout his career in the Ohio city. His dearture from Cincinnati was not because of any displeasure with his work on the part of the ownership of the cam, however, but because of a more creative offer by the Washington manager.

manager it he had played the infield instead of catching in his younger days, and that McGraw would be just as great if he had been a backstop instead of an infielder, and so on through the whole list of successful leaders. But, nevertheless, the fans have their opinions and they like to take a fling at argument every once in a while. They most assuredly will have a chance this year. The 1912 fans will watch the vicissitudes of seven teams under new lead-

tudes of seven teams under new load-ers. The capacities in which these men worked in 1911 and their new charges

are: Manager-Clark Griffith, Washington

Americans.
Field captain—Harry Davis, Cleve-land Americans.
Umplre—Hank O'Day, Cincinnati Na-

First baseman-Jake Stahl, Boston

Americans.
Third baseman—Harry Wolverton,

ew York Americans. Outfielder—Jimmy Callahan, Chicago

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